



AFFIDAVIT

Mr. Steve Drell being duly sworn, deposes and states as follows:

1. Affiant is Executive Vice-President of DeMert & Dougherty, Inc., and is authorized to respond to the U.S. EPA document request of March 21, 1988 on the Corporation's behalf.

2. Affiant has reviewed the document request of March 21, 1988, is familiar with the contents, and has requested appropriate Corporation personnel to determine if responsive documents exist within the possession or control of the Corporation.

3. Affiant is without personal knowledge as to the existence of documents in the possession or control of the Corporation responsive to the U.S. EPA document request of March 21, 1988 and Affiant has been informed and believes that no individual officer or employee of DeMert & Dougherty has personal knowledge of all the matters about which U.S. EPA requested information in said document request.

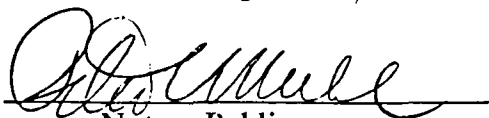
4. Affiant has been informed by employees of the Corporation that no documents responsive to the U.S. EPA document request of March 21, 1988 can be located within the possession or control of the Corporation after the exercise of reasonable diligence and inquiry at those locations within the Corporation where any responsive documents might reasonably be expected to be found.

Further Affiant Sayeth Not.



Steve Drell

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO
before me on August 31, 1988



Notary Public

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My Commission Expires Sept. 6, 1989